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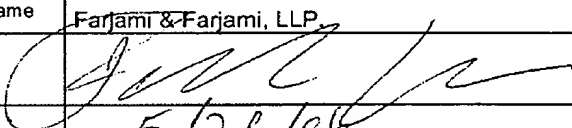
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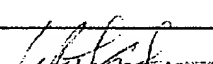
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| Title: <b>System to Reduce Distortion Due to Coding with a Sample-By-Sample Quantization</b> |                           |

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According to 37 CFR § 1.114, applicant has enclosed an amendment to the claims, which is a proper submission under 37 CFR § 1.114(c).

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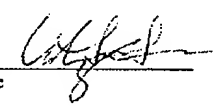
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